

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/601,542 Confirmation No. 7818  
Filing Date : June 23, 2003  
Applicant : Christian R. Noe, et al.  
Title : Enantiomerically Pure Basic  
Arylcycloalkylhydroxycarboxylic Esters,  
Processes for Their Preparation and  
Their Use In Medicaments  
TC/AU : 1617  
Examiner : San-Ming Hui  
Customer No. : 24131

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Responsive to the Office action dated June 29, 2006, kindly  
consider the following remarks:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.